FDC 4/1220 (KFDC A0016/14) ZZZ AIRSPACE EGYPT SINAI PENINSULA ... SPECIAL NOTICE...

U.S. OPERATORS SHOULD AVOID OPERATING INTO, OUT OF, WITHIN, OR OVER THE SINAI PENINSULA IN THE CAIRO FLIGHT INFORMATION REGION (FIR) (HECC) NORTH OF 30 DEGREES NORTH LATITUDE AT OR BELOW FL240, DUE TO ONGOING VIOLENCE, UNREST, AND SECURITY OPERATIONS.

THERE IS RISK TO THE SAFETY OF U.S. CIVIL FLIGHTS OPERATING INTO, OUT OF, WITHIN, OR OVER THIS REGION FROM SMALL-ARMS, ROCKET PROPELLED GRENADES, ANTI-AIRCRAFT FIRE AND SHOULDER-FIRED, MAN-PORTABLE AIR DEFENSE SYSTEMS (MANPADS).

U.S. OPERATORS PLANNING TO FLY INTO, OUT OF, WITHIN, OR OVER THE SINAI PENINSULA IN THE CAIRO FIR NORTH OF 30 DEGREES NORTH LATITUDE AT OR BELOW FL240 MUST OBTAIN CURRENT THREAT INFORMATION; COMPLY WITH ALL APPLICABLE FAA REGULATIONS, OPERATIONS SPECIFICATIONS, MANAGEMENT SPECIFICATIONS AND LETTERS OF AUTHORIZATION; AND PROVIDE ADVANCE NOTICE OF PLANNED FLIGHTS TO THE FAA AT AEOCITEWATCH@FAA.GOV WITH SPECIFIC FLIGHT DETAILS.

ADDITIONALLY, U.S. OPERATORS MUST REPORT SECURITY INCIDENTS TO THE FAA AT +1 202-493-5833 OR +1 202-267-3333.

THE SECURITY CONDITIONS IN THE NORTHERN SINAI FOR U.S. OPERATORS AND THE NEED FOR THIS SPECIAL NOTICE WILL BE RE-EVALUATED BY 31 AUGUST 2014.

THE FAA HAS PROVIDED ADDITIONAL INFORMATION IN THE INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT INFORMATION MANUAL AT:

HTTP://WWW.FAA.GOV/AIR TRAFFIC/PUBLICATIONS/IFIM/US RESTRICTIONS/.

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